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TITANIC STRUGGLE ENDS AS HUNS SIGN TERMS

Revolution Sweeps Germany On the Eve of
Subjection — Poland Has Been
Proclaimed Republic.

HUNS SIGN ARMISTICE AND END THE WAR

PARIS, Nov. 7.—The greatest war of all time came to an end at 2 p. m. today. The allies and Germany signed an armistice three hours earlier on the field of battle. The German delegation had come into the allied lines under a white flag.

As Marshal Foch's terms are known to include the provisions which will prevent resumption of hostilities, the greatest war of all times has come to an end.

Sedan, one of the historic cities in Europe, was captured by the Americans after an additional advance of more than four miles.

HUNS REVOLT AND SEIZE NAVY.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The entire German navy and a great part of Schleswig is in the hands of the revolutionists, according to reports received in Copenhagen from Kiel and transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph Company.

20,000 DESERTERS MARCH IN BERLIN STREETS

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 7.—Continuing demonstrations are taking place in Berlin, according to the Social Democrats. Twenty thousand deserters from the army are marching through the streets of the capital.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 7.—The revolution which broke out in Kiel has spread throughout Schleswig-Holstein, the provinces which Germany seized from Denmark half a century ago, according to advices received here today.

Revolting soldiers and sailors are reported to have captured the cities of Altona, Elsenberg and Apenrade and to hold a portion of the German high seas fleet.

The city of Hamburg, the greatest commercial center on the continent, also is said to be seething with revolt and an artillery battle is reported to be raging in the streets.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The Wolf Bureau of Berlin announces that all work has stopped at Hamburg owing to a strike and that undisciplined acts and outrages have taken place. The news agency reports similar occurrences from Luebeck.

POLAND IS LATEST REPUBLIC

BERLIN, via Zurich, Nov. 7.—Poland was proclaimed a republic Monday by Premier Swierzinski. It was announced here today.



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PEACE ENVOYS MEET— END OF WAR IMMINENT

(By special wire to the News.)

PARIS, November 7.—The truce emissaries of the German Government have reached France and have entered into conference with Foch.

PARIS, November 7.—The newspaper "L'Heure" says:

"It is rumored around newspaper offices that the signing of an armistice with Germany is imminent. 'We believe there is a good chance of an early signature.'"

The order to cease firing on the Chimay Guise front at 3 o'clock, until further orders, to allow the German delegation through must have led the correspondents to the conclusion that the armistice terms have been signed.

HUNS LESS CIVILIZED THAN WILD INDIANS

A dispatch last evening from the American army at the front says:

Compared to the German soldier of today, who before the war, was supposed to be civilized, the American Indian of frontier days is declared by an American officer to have been highly civilized.

"The Indian never pretended to be anything but a savage," said the medical officer, "while the Germans have been pretending to be peace loving and human for the past century."

Deliberate killing by German troops of Red Cross workers engaged in their mission of mercy on the battlefields has aroused the wrath of American army officers. It is asserted that all during the Marne battle the German aviators swept low over field dressing stations, pouring machine gun bullets into the medical units as they tended the wounded, and dropping bombs on hospitals, although the Red Cross insignia was in plain view. The Hun snipers picked off Red Cross stretcher bearers as quickly as combatant soldiers.

They acted just like cornered rats," declared an American infantry officer, "except that most of them did not have the courage to fight to the death. When they were surrounded and had no chance, they would come out of their machine gun nests with tears in their eyes and cries of 'Kamerad.' The German soldier is the most loathsome and despicable creature imaginable."

TWO CONTRA COSTANS KILLED IN BATTLE

Two Contra Costa county boys, one from San Ramon and the other from Tassajara, have been killed in action in France.

Corporal Peter Byer, Jr., of Tassajara, and Simon Anderson of San Ramon, both met their death fighting. News of their death came Monday and plunged two valley homes into sadness. Both were among the first Contra Costa boys to enter service.

"FLUE" CASES ARE ON STEADY DECLINE

The reports of the health office show that there have been 2049 cases of the influenza and 72 deaths in the present epidemic since its beginning a few weeks ago. The deaths represent an average of three per cent. The same speaks highly of the efficiency of the Richmond Health Department and doctors.

The new cases for the last 24 hours are still at the low level of 9, while the deaths number two. They are:

Pedro Barrios, 55, remains at Smallwood parlors.

Mrs. Glenn Conn, of 331 South Twelfth street. Remains at Smallwood parlors.

RED CROSS HOSPITAL.

Three patients were discharged from the hospital yesterday while one was taken back because she had no one to give her the care necessary in her convalescence.

Miss Lockwood, who was among the busy volunteer nurses at the hospital has herself contracted the "flue," but is now improving nicely. Miss Katherine Shaw, one of the most self-sacrificing young ladies in Richmond, is doing noble work at the hospital and in homes of stricken families or wherever she is most useful and needed.

Mrs. Percy A. Transue is an able representative and member of the "greatest mother," one who works unceasingly here, there and every where. Her latest merciful work was ministering to a family of eight, all "flue" victims in San Pablo.

Hopp Loses Thumb In Electric Crane

The thumb of Russell Hopp was amputated at the Craven Hospital after he had lost the end of it while adjusting a chain block at the Western Pipe and Steel plant yesterday afternoon.

He was employed on the electric crane and resides at 321 South Twelfth street.

135 DRAFT MEN CALLED TO ENTRAIN NOVEMBER 11

Draft Board Continues To Induct Men Into
Service In Spite of Negotiations For
Peace Now Being Carried On.

The local board is proceeding to fill all calls for men and will continue sending selectives to camps on schedule. Any registrant who, deeming the war over, fails to report, will be classed as a deserter and subjected to the same strict punishment that has been meted out in the past.

As if to support this claim, over 125 calls were mailed to drafted men yesterday to appear at the board on Monday next and to be ready to leave for Kelly Field, Texas, on November 11.

The men called are:

Clyde S. Willis
Wm. Cassin
George C. Graham
Simon Pericon
Philip Luther
J. J. Campbell
James Knight
Gus N. Lephakis
John Bonini
Chafley Jensen
J. R. Bryant
J. G. Wolfe
James W. O'Rourke
Daniel J. Mevis
John Urban
Eugene T. Murphy
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Carl Jensen
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Calvin W. Wright
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George Peres
Demetrios Demopolis
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Joe Toffoli
Jacob A. Cook
Harry Murphy
Thomas Beckerleg
Thomas Tracy
Manuel Joseph
J. W. Bolander
George R. Shipman
Albert Mason
Steven Johnson
Steven Barbikas
Harold J. Vance
Edison W. Hendrick
Roy Peterson
Earl W. Bickford
Hugh B. Selvy
Alfred L. Purdy
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Frederick Miers
Nick E. Pappasprun
John Driscoll
L. E. Woodworth
Chester A. Newell
L. W. Scott
E. E. Plummer
Charles E. Parker
Thomas A. Bay
M. F. Fesley
Wm. L. Smedley
W. M. Palin
Louis Distral
Alexander DeSoto
Lloyd L. Fischer

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RICHMOND CELEBRATES REPORTED PEACE NEWS

POUNDMAN GUILTY OF BEATING HORSE

The huge wave of celebrations and cheering swept Richmond like it did the other cities throughout the United States when the news that the war had ended was spread around Chicago, New York and San Francisco went simply wild, declared holidays, suspended business and just cheered and cheered. All boys in uniform got hugged till they couldn't breathe.

When the whistles heralded the tidings, all faces beamed with smiles while hearts burst with happiness and everyone either called the newspaper offices or bought the extras which flooded the streets.

An impromptu parade was held on Macdonald avenue last night. A truck from Fire Station No. 2 was decorated with a goat and banner read "We have the Huns," while the bell was rung and the strains of the accordion player was drowned amid the cheers and shouts. Machines followed, all decorated.

Frank Meader was found guilty by Judge Odell of the charge of cruelty to animals preferred by S. H. Gnaga yesterday.

Meader, who is the city poundman, was found beating a helpless weak horse by Mr. Gnaga, who immediately caused his arrest.

Meader will be sentenced in a few day.

DABNEY ARRESTED

ON BATTERY CHARGE

Thos. G. Dabney was arrested on a charge of battery preferred by his wife yesterday and was released by Judge Odell on \$100 bail. The case will be called for next Tuesday.

Ida Johnson was also arrested on a battery charge preferred by Mrs. Anna Dabney and was released on \$100 bail.

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COMING EVENTS

Nov. 27—Redmen's Annual. 50 cents. Ladies complimentary. Dancing, free refreshments, band jazz music and dance until 1 p. m.

Dec. 7—Bazaar and dance by ladies of the South Richmond Improvement Club in Moose Hall.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR CONTRA COSTA COUNTY. In the matter of the Estate of Longo Dalley Laitha, Deceased. No. 447. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Longo Dalley Laitha, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Administrator at the Law Offices of J. E. Rogers and A. F. Bray, Brown Building, Martinez, Contra Costa County California, which is hereby designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within four months after the first publication of this notice. Dated October 15, 1923. CHARLES E. DALTY, Administrator of the estate of Longo Dalley Laitha, Deceased. J. E. ROGERS and A. F. BRAY, Attorneys for Administrators. First pub. Oct. 15; last pub. Nov. 15.

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ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday night in Bank Hall, Eighth street and Macdonald avenue. George T. Stanley, N. G. J. W. Shell, Recording Secretary, 136 Second street.

STAGS—Patriotic and Protective Order of Stags meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in W. O. W. hall, Seventh and Macdonald. Visitors always welcome. H. L. Springer, Recorder, 101 Ohio street; H. E. Somerville, Exalted Director.

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GERMANY ABOUT ALL IN

Constant rumors drifted in yesterday over the wires from London and elsewhere that the Germans had accepted the Allies terms, amounting to practically unconditional surrender, and the same report have been coming in up to a late hour last night. No official confirmation has been given out regarding it, but it is safe to say that if the Germans have not already agreed to the terms they will do so in a day or two, as there is nothing else for them to do, and they know it as well as anybody.

Last night's dispatches also set forth the facts that revolution has broken out all over Germany, quite similar to that in Russia, and that the sailors have all mutinied and have seized the great fleet of battleships at Kiel, demanding peace.

The war may be said to be as good as over, and it is not likely that any more troops will be shipped from this country to Europe, but those there will have to perhaps remain until things get settled.

The Kaiser still refuses to abdicate, but his case will be attended to by the Allies, and he will be lucky if he escapes the firing squad.

Now that peace is in sight, with victory, times and business conditions in this country will improve instantly, and we look for the best fall and winter in a business way known since 1914.

It is time for great rejoicing, widespread confidence and a quick return to normal conditions.

LATER—The latest wires last night from Paris that it is indeed true that Germany has surrendered to the allied peace terms.

"GUILT IS PERSONAL"

It is not surprising that in the capitals of the allied nations men are already beginning to consider the question of punishments to be visited upon individuals who have committed atrocious crimes during the war.

England, France and Belgium have a list of brutal outrages for which various German military and naval officers ought to be held individually responsible.

In addition to that there are capital crimes the responsibility for which must be laid at the door of the emperor himself.

The usual consideration shown officers and men of a surrendering force applies only where all individuals involved have waged honorable warfare.

Where atrocious crimes have been committed and the responsibility for them located, the punishment of the offenders is not interfered with by the customary terms of capitulation.

In Washington, so Mr. Robert T. Small tells us, the precedents for trial and punishment of individuals who have transgressed the rules of honorable warfare and committed brutal crimes are being investigated, and speculation is rife there and in other capitals as to just what American policy will be.

The theory is that France, Great Britain and Belgium will insist upon individual responsibility in case of brutal crimes, and it is not believed that the United States, in view of its own precedents, will offer the slightest objection.

Get into the game of life with enthusiasm or you will never win high stakes. Application is a necessary detail, but it is enthusiasm that ensures success. The heart must inspire both the mind and the body if we would win. The lash of necessity or duty may drive the slaggard on his way, but never yet has he reached the summit of a glorious achievement.

The pleasure of a country life

Appeals to me just now.

I want to roam the grassy meads

And watch the festive cow.

I want to climb the old stone wall,

And find a shady nook.

Where I can loaf all afternoon

Beside the babbling brook.

THE ELECTION

The returns are not all in yet, and some things are still in doubt, but enough is known to figure fairly well on the results. Bone dry prohibition has been defeated, but the Rominger measure still has a fighting chance. At present, however, on the face of the returns as far as they are in, it would appear that both liquor amendments have been beaten.

The legislature, however, is dry, and will pass the national prohibition amendment, so all is well that ends well.

Although prohibition apparently has been defeated at the polls, an examination of the complexion of the next California legislature as to the way its tendencies of its members reveals an alignment that appears to presage ratification of the national prohibition amendment.

The dries have a clear majority of four more, when fall returns are in. Incomplete returns give the dries the advantage in the Senate also. According to the returns, there probably will be an equal division of wet and dry adherents in the Senate, with the deciding vote in the hands of C. C. Young, lieutenant governor-elect, who is dry.

FAR APART

Life's barefoot time, I knew it well,
Its sweet bread and molasses,
The cistern into which I fell,
Its saw-edged stinging grasses,
The sand-burrs on the path we took,
The stony way's stonebruises—
Somehow a fellow gets the hook
On all of boyhood's cruises.
I knew it well, I used to wish
I was a man, gone from it
Afar from where I used to fish;
But now I think, "Dad gum it!"
If I were but a boy again
I would not be caught wishing
I would not be caught wishing
To be from things I tired of then,
And all that splendid fishing.
I want to be a boy again,
I want to be a-going
Where paths wind round as they did then
And cooling winds are blowing;
I wished to be a man, and now
I'd slip off manhood's tether
And be a boy. Life's hope somehow
And gift's don't get together.

Love is a gamble, all right enough, to be sure, but Cupid's stocks are not watered near as much as the Wall Street certificates. He may lack manhood and character, and she be short on brains or biscuit-building ability, and both are but human, a fact that Cupid keeps much in the background, but for all that the percentage of pay dirt is good and many particles of pure gold show up in the pan along with the country rock. But don't be a piker and play white chips in the love game. The odds are with the dealer.

A terrible crack has just been discovered in the moon, said to be as large as Roosevelt's mouth, but not as eruptive.

It is not wise to be superstitious, but there are some signs that must be believed in. The dollar sign is one of them.

Do not commit murder, it is against the law and divine command. Send the enemy a bottle of Barbary Coast booze.

Some newspaper men yet alive can remember when they issued extras only when something happened.

Noiseless powder has been invented, but the women do not wear it. Some of theirs is pretty loud.

Pleased to note that the cool and crisp fall weather is driving the elbows under cover.

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135 DRAFT MEN CALLED 25 MORE DRAFT MEN PASS EXAMINATIONS

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Harry M. Greening
John A. Corsi
M. R. Pardee
Elmer J. Teeters
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Edwin Gregory
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John Madsen
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Neis Backlund
Frank H. Mattons
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Alexander H. Loupas
Dominic Obarto
Marko Bertera
George Wm. Perry
Otto R. Henry
Paul Jones
Morland Tracy
Wm. R. Davis
Jesse Buford
Wm. F. Carroll
Philip Luther
A. Nystrom
Edward Gall

Military Funeral

The remains of Robert Hampton, Richmond soldier who died at Fort Clark, Texas, last Saturday, arrived here today and were taken to the Smallwood undertaking parlors, where arrangements are being made for a military funeral. He was the son of Samuel Hampton and brother of Lyman Hampton, well known Richmond people.

The funeral will be held this afternoon from the Smallwood parlors at 3:30 o'clock. At Sunset View cemetery a firing squad will give a military salute to the dead soldier boy.

CONTRACTOR RUTHERFORD MAKES LAST BID

James Rutherford, Richmond street contractor, living at 132 South Fifth street, passed away last night after suffering for several months from a chronic ailment. The funeral service will be held Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock from the Smallwood parlors, with interment in St. Mary's cemetery, Oakland.

DISPLAY HELMETS.

S. B. Kurtz, clothier at Ninth and Macdonald, has displayed in his windows the German and French helmets which Joe Bowen sent to his wife.

The examination of the drafted men continued yesterday and of 40 men examined the following 25 were passed. The board will continue to carry out its orders whether the war is over or not till they receive orders to the contrary and the medical examinations will go right on.

The men are:

Nick Prebensen
Samuel Olsen
J. W. Bolander
Carlo Moscatelli
J. Meespie
E. Gall
F. L. Clark
R. E. Ford
W. Sargenta
F. J. Collins
S. W. San Fellipio
F. L. Davis
R. Doherty
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RED CROSS NEEDS JAMS AND JELLIES

The Red Cross Hospital is in need of jams and jellies for the influenza patients who are on the mend. If each woman in town would send in one or two jars, the supply would be ample.

MISS HELEN SMITH INFLUENZA MICTIM

Miss Helen Smith, who had returned home from the U. C. Hospital, where she had been training to attend to her mother, Mrs. Katherine Smith, was caught in the clutches of the influenza and is ill at her home.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend to the local Red Cross, the Eastern Star, the First Christian church, and the public generally, our sincere appreciation and gratitude for all services rendered us and for all floral offerings and expressions of sympathy in the hour of our sore bereavement and loss.

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ALVIN BAXTER CHASES U-BOATS

The following interesting letter was received by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Quinley of 234 Eighth street, from their nephew, Alvin Baxter, a well known local boy:

Block Island, R. I., Oct. 30, 1918.

Dear Uncle, Aunt and Geraldine:

It is taking me a long time getting around to all, but if I keep going I'll get letters to all after a while.

Well, since I saw you folks last, I have been a long ways and still going. One never knows when and where one is going.

After leaving home I went to "San Pedro" and was there only a week when I was shipped to Key West, Florida. It was a great trip across the continent and I enjoyed it very much. There were seventy-four of us boys in the draft. So by the time I reached Key West I was pretty well acquainted with most of the boys. We boys were like a bunch of scattered quail, from all parts of California. The Southern states were very dry and desolate looking. Texas, New Mexico and Arizona especially. After arriving at Key West we were put in quarantine for twentyone days. After we looked tame enough to run loose around the camp they lifted the quarantine. And then the days of drilling commenced. I enjoyed drilling very much. But Key West is terrible warm and I didn't like that part so well. Being rookies we had lots to learn, and one was made do his own washing. Well, you would have laughed to see some fellows trying to wash. After I was there about six weeks the commander of my company promoted me to his private yeoman and to act as his assistant. Well, I couldn't help but laugh when one day I had to muster the company. Some how I made out all right. Then in about a month I was a commander of a portion of a company and stayed at that work for about a month. When one day a friend of mine came and wanted me to go on a ship with him. So I went and requested of the executive officer to let me leave the camp and get on a ship. So he consented and I was out on that ship. The "Peoria" for a month and then returned back to camp. This Peoria was just a training ship. So when I returned again to the training camp one of the commander's put me back at my old job again, doing yeoman work. I enjoyed the work and was at that job for about a month when I had a chance to go on a submarine chaser. So I volunteered to go aboard the U. S. S. C. 297. I am a machinist and like my work fine. We have a jolly crew and good officers so I'm glad that I had the chance of getting aboard. We left Key West and have been in every state on the Atlantic coast except Maine. Perhaps we may be there some day.

Our duty is to do convoy work and hunt the "Subs." But so far I have never seen any German submarines. I will be glad when the war is over so I can come home again. It seems like a long time since I saw you all. We all know that we are fighting for a just cause and when the war is over I think this shall be a different world. I think the people will think more of the rights and wrongs and that they will think more of God. People were living too fast and thought of no one except their own selves before this war. No doubt but what it will come out all right in the end. And I'm glad that I'm able to do my share. There has been a terrible epidemic of "influenza" on this coast, but at the present it is being swept out.

Well, "Uncle Sam" is a fine fellow to work for and I have been treated fine ever since enlisting. I have gained thirty pounds since I left home, and now all my clothes are getting too small for me. I must stop now. With lots of love to all.

ALVIN BAXTER.

P. S. Address, care Postmaster, New York, U. S. S. C. 297.

HAVILAND IS WINNER.

P. N. Haviland is reelection county surveyor of Alameda county in a close fight with Harlan Miller. The final vote was: Haviland, 29,800; Miller, 28,800.

FORD DEFEATED.

DETROIT, Nov. 7.—Henry Ford is 6,000 votes behind Newberry, republican, for United States Senator, with nearly all precincts heard from. Ford threatens a recount.

WOMEN MAKE FIERY PROTEST

Object to Order Issued Having to Do With the Establishment of Community Labor Boards

Assistant Director General N. A. Smyth of the United States employment service who, in the absence of Director General Densmore, issued general order B-7 in regard to the placing of woman workers and the establishment of community labor boards, is under a fire of criticism and protest from women all over the country, according to information received at the Washington headquarters of the National Woman's Trade Union league.

The order in question reads: "Upon all questions concerning the utilization of women in industry, the two woman leaders of the community labor board shall have full stated powers. They shall be ex-officio and non-voting members of the board in respect to other matters, but shall be invited to attend all meetings of the board."

This restriction, according to officers of the National Women's Trade Union league, is objectionable, first, because it is a fundamental violation of the principle of equal rights. As an objection in its practical application, they cite especially the right of the women members of the board to vote on the personnel of the local employment offices. As to this they fear that the result will be both the neglect of women's interests if left entirely in the hands of men, and the abuse of the community labor boards for political ends. "The very fact of their special exclusion from a vote on questions of personnel makes them suspicious. 'Why do the men fear our vote on personnel?' they asked."

Mr. Smyth is said to have replied to the women's protests by saying that limiting women's voting power on the community board is a "mere matter of administrative detail," a "side issue," and a point which to his mind "is largely academic." The purpose in excluding women members from voting on any subject other than those affecting the utilization of women in industry, he asserts, is to relieve them from other responsibilities, and enable them to give their undivided energies to this great problem.

INDORSE STAND OF GOMPERS

Garment Workers Praise American Labor Leader for His Action Concerning Peace Negotiations.

Declaring that America honored Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, for his fidelity to the best interests of the laboring classes the world over, the United Garment Workers of America issued a statement in reply to recent attacks made on Mr. Gompers by Carl Legien, president of the German Federation of Trades Unions. The garment workers, at the same time, assailed the German labor leader's faithlessness to aught but the reigning power in his country.

"In contending against a negotiated peace," says the statement, "President Gompers expresses the sentiment of the American labor movement, and we believe, in the main, of all intelligent labor not under the influence of a Germanized socialism or its trades union leaders."

"This is labor's war. It is a fight for a democracy upon which the principles of organized labor are founded, and President Gompers is true to the cause of the world's labor when he insists that there should be no peace negotiations until the enemy of mankind has been forced to sue for peace and forced to return all its ill-gotten gains."

COAL PRODUCTION WAS CURTAILED BY STRIKE.

Production of anthracite decreased 241,000 tons during the week ending September 21 as a result of a strike of miners in the Shamokin fields, in Pennsylvania. Announcement to this effect was made by Fuel Administrator Garfield.

Bituminous production for the same week was 12,350,000, a slight decrease compared with the preceding one, but 2,108,000 tons greater than the output in the corresponding period of 1917.

Women in a British Shipyard.

Commenting upon the remarkable work of converting the waste land of Hog Island into a huge shipbuilding plant in a few months' time, our London contemporary, Engineering, calls attention to a similar piece of work done on a smaller scale "somewhere on the northeast coast" of England. Here a piece of ground that lay below high-water level has been converted into a shipyard of eight berths. The work was started in March and the first ship, it is expected, will be launched in November. Female labor is being used very extensively in the construction of the yard. Women feed the concrete mixer; they lay and balance the rails, they fill the low ground; they excavate the site of the wet dock, which will accommodate several vessels simultaneously, and in fact undertake all kinds of work which have hitherto been deemed quite unsuitable for their sex. A canteen capable of feeding 2,000 workers has been erected. A number of model cottages are being built, and also a hotel to accommodate 1,000 men. Scientific American.

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6-room modern house, block and half from Macdonald. \$2500. Part cash.
5-room house, garage, wind mill and tank, 40ft lot, close in. \$3500. \$85 cash, \$25 per month. Elegant 7-room house close in. Garage lot 50x112. Price \$5000. Corner lot 67x100, street work paid. Price \$900. \$90 cash, \$10 per month.
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FOR SALE—A fine 5-room, close in cottage, almost in the center of Richmond; easy installments. See us at once, if you want to capture this great bargain. It is just what you want.—W. H. SANFORD
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FOR SALE—New 5-room bungalow; just completed; lot 37 1-2 x 100. Easy terms. Apply to owner, J. W. Rutherford, 425 Duncan St., San Francisco. 10-30-3t

FOR RENT OR SALE—4-room modern cottage across street from El Cerrito school. Good plumbing, all recently renovated; sewer connections, good porch, garden. Rent \$15.00. Sale price \$1500.00, but open to an offer. Address 2307 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley. p52-6t

LET MAYERS DO IT

Mayers' American Cleaning and Dyeing Establishment at 1116 Macdonald avenue, is so well known in Richmond for many years past that it is probably needless to say that it is the leader in this line of business in this city. If you want your old suit made to look like new let Mayers do it. That's his business and he knows how. Incidentally, he doesn't charge but very little. For further information phone Richmond 452. tf

WANTED—Woman to cook. Apply at Craven Hospital. Phone 854. 2t

WANTED—Furnished Apartments by couple; permanent, references. Phone: Richmond Market, 510 Macdonald avenue today. 252-3t.

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room house, lot 30x112 1-2 ft; fine well, windmill and tank; large garage, 16x18; price \$2750, \$750 cash, balance \$25 per month; nothing to pay for two months. Do business with owner, 723 N. 15th street. 252-3t

FOR SALE—Small safe. A. F. Blatchey, 500 Macdonald avenue. p41—3t.

FOR SALE OR RENT

Good four-room house, partly furnished, for sale or rent at a bargain. Desirable location. Phone W. E. Sanford, Rich. 921. 234-tf

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FOR SALE—5-room completely furnished house on 6th street, half block from Macdonald Ave. Lawn and berries. Price \$3500. Some terms.

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RED CROSS WOMEN RESPOND MOST NOBLY

Women of the Pacific Division of the Red Cross have arisen to the present epidemic emergency in a manner which is beyond more words of approbation. There is continued need of woman's ministrations and the Red Cross feels it can depend upon the daughters of the West to keep at the helm until the last vestige of the storm has disappeared. The Division Bureau of Nursing supplied every available nurse and aid at its command, then called on laywomen to fill up the gaps in the army of helpers to care for the thousands of sufferers. Chapters in all afflicted districts have handled the situation in a splendid manner and the Red Cross has again lived up to its real ideal.

Christmas Gifts For the Soldiers

The Red Cross has announced from Washington that the first of the Christmas parcels labels have reached this country, and will be in the hands of those who are to use them as soon as mail facilities permit. The boxes with complete instructions, may be obtained at Red Cross Chapters or branches. Only one package for each soldier will be accepted. Each man in the expeditionary forces has received one label and has been directed to send it to one person from whom he wishes to receive a Christmas parcel. Parcels that do not carry this label will not be accepted and none can be sent after November 20.

Subscribe for the News.

"Is Your Name Written Here?"

Councilman Jim Long is out and around, having only had four days of it. He looks fine in a mask—better than usual. Mrs. Long is still sick but convalescing.

Charley Bacon didn't get it at all. A bunch of the microbes crawled under the door, but the first took they got of Charley was enough—they're going yet.

One Richmond man informed us last evening that he had an extra hard siege of it, as in addition to having "flu" he also got information of the bowles.

Rev. Boyer was lucky enough to escape the epidemic, also, and feels duly thankful.

Frank (Tex) Logan is out once more, after a two weeks fight with the germs. They ate part of his whiskers off. He drives the postoffice mail auto.

Colonel Oscar Long and his Home Guards are doing good work among those who break the law by not wearing masks. They have rounded up quite a bunch, and have their eyes on others.

R. W. Byrn is still driving truck, germs or no germs. Mrs. Byrn had a severe attack and is only getting out of it now.

Fred Heckman is well again and, on the job, teaching all good union men that there is a God in Israel and the straight and narrow path leads in the right direction.

Brewer has been caldmining and varnishing up the Western States Gas and Electric oces until they shine like Brewer's record for piety. If a microbe gets in there he would slip off the woodwork and dash its brains out or stomach, or whatever it has.

Sheriff Beale was in town yesterday greeting old friends. He was not ill, but everybody else in the office was, including Deputy Will, so the sheriff had to work double shift.

E. Pasco is among the weak and wobbly fellows who are just recovering. Looks a bit pale but is still in the ring.

My, what a racket the whistles and bells did make yesterday when the news from Germany arrived. Everybody was more than glad and happy.

Mrs. C. Lambrecht is now recovering from a severe attack of the influenza and her numerous friends will be glad to see her out again.

D. L. Center living at 1708 Barrett is recovering from his attack of the "flu" and is able to sit up and receive his friends.

Mr. Green, an employe in the offices of the Standard Oil company, has removed his family here from Oakland and will reside on Seventh street. It is just one year ago that Mr. Green moved to Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Norton, prominent workers in the Presbyterian church, are recovering from the illness that is prevailing and their numerous friends rejoice to know that they are around again.

Mrs. B. S. Miner and Florence Miner, accompanied by Miss Karmel Wilson, were visiting in Martinez at the home of H. E. Muer.

The funeral services for Harold Rowe were conducted by Rev. Sanborne yesterday.

Mrs. W. W. Norton, who is quite ill with the "flu" is much improved. Mrs. T. D. Sowden is improving steadily from her attack of the "flu."

Miss Vera Wyatt, the popular organist of the First Christian church, is on the street again meeting her many friends.

Mrs. Jos. Nicholl was downtown again for the first time since her recovery from the flu.

The Bree family at the Point have all successfully recovered from the flu. Haller, who had the most severe case, was out for the first time today.

Mrs. I. C. Wood of the Point is very much improved.

Mrs. Fred Clinger has recovered from a serious attack of the flu.

Robert Picton, the son of Councilman Picton, is about again after a flu attack.

Miss Mabel Macdonald was among the many volunteer workers who helped out at the telephone central ooe during the epidemic.

Hiram Jacobs expects to leave for Fort Scott next Tuesday unless orders to the contrary arrive in the meantime.

Ben Schapiro and J. A. Walby of the Contra Costa Realty Company, who have been on the very sick list for some time have both "reported back for duty." Schapiro has closed his San Francisco offices and consolidated his organization here.

A. B. Minter of the Twenty-second street garage, has received a letter from William Dahl, a former employe who is now an artillery machinist with the American Army at Bordeaux, France, and where he has been busy repairing big trucks.

DR. BLAKE OUT TODAY.

The broad smiling face of Dr. Blake will be seen again today as he will be back to work shoeing the flu out of Richmond after a short tussle with the serum bugs.

CAN SECURE S. S. PAPERS

The pupils of the St. Paul's Evangelical Sunday School may secure their class papers on application at the parsonage, 266 Tenth street.

REV. BOYER IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Rev. Thos. A. Boyer was called to San Francisco yesterday to conduct services at the funeral of a former parishoner.

He also conducted the services for E. B. Smallwood, the prominent Richmond business man.

BABY SUCCUMBS.

A child born Wednesday to Mrs. J. J. Daly, an influenza sufferer at the Red Cross hospital, did not live. The little body will be buried by Undertaker Bert Curry.

BABY ARMSTRONG CUTS LIP.

The lower lip of Baby Armstrong was cut open as he fell while playing yesterday afternoon and was sewed up at the Abbott Hospital. He is the son of E. F. Armstrong of 1424 Nevin avenue.

SLURS COURT—FINED \$20.

L. Gomez was fined \$20 by Judge Roth yesterday on the complaint of Judge Odell that he was disturbing the peace and contempt of court.

MRS. C. H. MASTERS DIES.

Mrs. C. H. Masters, wife of a pumper employed at the Standard Oil refinery, died Wednesday of pneumonia at her mother's home in Redwood City, where she was visiting. She leaves a husband and an infant son. Her home here was at 120 Second street. The funeral will be held at Redwood.

HOLLENBACK PASSES ON.

Henry Hollenback, pioneer resident of Martinez, is dead at the age of eighty-seven years.

PRICE REMAINS SHIPPED TO KANSAS

The remains of W. E. Price, who died of the influenza yesterday at the Red Cross hospital, has been prepared for shipment to Topeka, Kansas, where it will be interred. The remains have been in the charge of the Smallwood undertaking parlors.

WISE MARRIES AGAIN.

W. G. Wise, the well known blacksmith, did the unexpected, when he married an old schoolmate of his last Saturday in San Jose. The newly married couple are on a honeymoon trip to Los Angeles and expect to return to Richmond in about a week to make their home here.

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